

# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 405

By Mumpower

## A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Charles E. Fenner of Mountain City.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Mr. Charles E. Fenner; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Fenner was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Fenner served with acumen and alacrity at Levi Strauss & Company for over thirty years, in which position he earned the respect of his peers and superiors alike for the exemplary quality of his work; and

WHEREAS, a charter member of the Johnson County Rescue Squad, Mr. Fenner also served the county for twenty-four years as County Commissioner; and

WHEREAS, Charles Fenner was an active and devout member of the Bethany Baptist church, where he served faithfully for many years; and

WHEREAS, those who knew him best remember Mr. Fenner as a devoted father and grandfather, skillful farmer, and enthusiastic UT fan who loved Tennessee football and Lady Vols basketball; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Fenner was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, for many years, Charles Fenner enjoyed the loving companionship of his wife, Judy Fenner, who preceded him in death; he was also preceded in death by his parents, Fred and Maude Fenner; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Fenner is survived by his three daughters, Tammie Fenner, Cindy Fritts, and Kelli Sluder; his two sons, Blake Fenner and Mike Fenner; his very special friend and companion, Margaret Roberts; and his grandchildren, Lacey Fritts, Courtney Fritts, Tyler

Fenner, Payton Fenner, Colton Fenner, Eden Fenner, Kamryn Sluder, Kayla Sluder, and Kyle Sluder; and

WHEREAS, Charles Fenner leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Charles E. Fenner, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Mr. Fenner.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.